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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Docket No. 408870)

In re the Application of:)
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Barthoff et al.)
) Art Unit: 3738
Serial No.: 09/782,444)
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Filed: February 13, 2001) Examiner: Bruce Snow
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For: STENT DELIVERY SYSTEM)
HAVING A DELIVERY CATHETER)
MEMBER WITH A CLEAR)
TRANSITION ZONE)

TO: MAIL STOP: AF
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action of September 23, 2004, please amend the claims as indicated on page 2. The remarks begin on page 3 of this document.